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In re application of

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FOOD FOR IMPROVING CLINICAL  
CONDITIONS CAPABLE OF  
LOWERING THE CONCENTRATION OF  
LOW-MOLECULAR-WEIGHT  
NITROGEN-CONTAINING COMPOUNDS  
IN BLOOD

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**PRELIMINARY AMENDMENT**

Commissioner for Patents

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Sir:

In the interest of compact prosecution, please amend the present application as follows: